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GERMANIUM CHANNEL PMOS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

These amendments and remarks are filed in response to the final Office Action dated November 16, 2005, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. A petition for a one-month extension of time is being filed concurrently with this paper.

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